

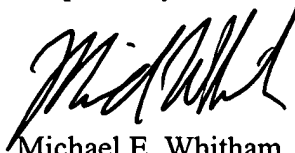
REMARKS

Claims 1-16 have been canceled as having been pursued in parent application USSN 10/201,693, now allowed.

Claim 17 remains in the application unchanged. New claims 18- 25 have been added, and are drawn to the subject matter of claim 17 and include features similar to those presented in allows USSN 10/201,693. The application now includes claims 17-25.

Please proceed to examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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